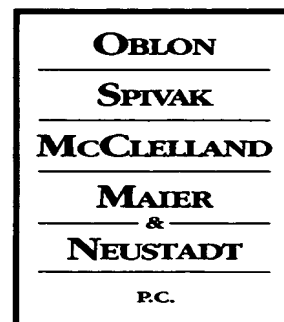




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In response to the restriction requirement dated October 3, 2006, Applicant(s) elect(s) without traverse Group I, Claims 1-18 and 33-52 drawn to a device, for further examination on the merits. Applicants(s) reserve the right to file one or more divisional applications directed to the non-elected invention.

Accordingly, examination on the merits of Claims 1-18 and 33-52 is believed to be in order and an early and favorable action is respectfully requested.

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